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21 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

22 SAN JOSE DIVISION

23 ELECTRONICS FOR IMAGING, INC.,

24 Plaintiff,

25 vs.

26 TESSERON, LTD.,

27 Defendant.

Case No. CV07-5534 RS

**DECLINATION TO PROCEED BEFORE A  
MAGISTRATE JUDGE  
AND  
REQUEST FOR REASSIGNMENT TO A  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE**

REQUEST FOR REASSIGNMENT TO A UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

The undersigned party hereby declines to consent to the assignment of this case to a United States Magistrate Judge for trial and disposition and hereby requests the reassignment of this case to a United States District Judge.

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